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Title: FILE MANAGEMENT METHOD, CONTENT RECORDING/PLAYBACK APPARATUS AND CONTENT RECORDING PROGRAM		

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2. <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.	a. <input type="checkbox"/> Small Entity Statement(s)	a. <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Readable Form (CRF) b. Specification Sequence Listing on: i. <input type="checkbox"/> CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or ii. <input type="checkbox"/> paper c. <input type="checkbox"/> Statements verifying identity of above copies
3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Specification (preferred arrangement set forth below) - Descriptive title of the Invention - Cross References to Related Applications - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix - Background of the Invention - Brief Summary of the Invention - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed) - Detailed Description - Claim(s) - Abstract of the Disclosure	[Total Pages 43]	10. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s) (35 USC 113)	[Total Sheets 16]	11. <input type="checkbox"/> 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) <input type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney
5. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oath or Declaration	[Total Pages 4]	12. <input type="checkbox"/> English Translation Document (if applicable)
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6. <input type="checkbox"/> Incorporation By Reference (useable if Box 5b is checked) The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.		16. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Figure of Drawing to be published _____
7. <input type="checkbox"/> Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76		17. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Foreign priority claimed a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Claim of Priority b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
8. <input type="checkbox"/> CD-Rom or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)		18. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Assignee: MATSUSHITA ELECTRIC INDUSTRIAL CO., Ltd. of Osaka, JAPAN
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**FEE TRANSMITTAL****Complete if Known**

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Large Entity Fee Code (\$)	Entity Fee Code	Small Entity Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101	740	201	370	Utility filing fee <u>740</u>
106	330	206	165	Design filing fee <u>330</u>
107	510	207	255	Plant filing fee <u>510</u>
108	740	208	370	Reissue filing fee <u>740</u>
114	760	214	80	Provisional filing fee <u>760</u>

**SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)** 740**2. CLAIMS**

Total Claims	-	Extra	Fee from below	=	Fee Paid
19	-20=	0	x 18	=	0
Independent 2	-3=	0	x 84	=	0

Claims 19 - 20 = 0 x 18 = 0Independent 2 - 3 = 0 x 84 = 0Multiple Dependent Claims 19 x 280 = 0

Large Entity Fee Code (\$)	Entity Fee Code	Small Entity Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20
102	84	202	42	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	280	204	140	Multiple dependent claim
109	84	209	42	Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210	9	Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

**SUBTOTAL (2) (\$)** 0

Large Entity Fee Code (\$)	Entity Fee Code	Small Entity Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105	130	205	65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	227	25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.	
139	130	139	130 Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520 For filing a request for reexamination	
112	920*	112	920* Requesting publication of SIR	
113	1,840*	113	1,840* Prior to Examiner action Requesting publication of SIR after	
115	110	215	55 Examiner action	
116	400	216	200 Extension for response within 1st month	
117	920	217	460 Extension for response within 2nd month	
118	1,440	218	720	
128	1,960	228	980	
119	320	219	160	
120	320	220	160	
121	280	221	140	
138	1,510	138	1,510	
140	110	240	55 Petition to revive unavoidably abandoned application	
141	1,280	241	640 Petition to revive unintentionally abandoned application	
142	1,280	242	640 Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	460	243	230 Design issue fee	
144	620	244	310 Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130 Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50 Petitions related to provisional applications	
126	180	126	180 Submission of IDS	
581	40	581	40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	40
146	740	246	370 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
149	740	249	370 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
179	740	279	370 Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	900	169	900 Request for expedited examination of a design application	
<b>SUBTOTAL (3) (\$)</b> <u>40</u>				

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